

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 NEW DE 11802 101904Z

66

ACTION EB-11

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 IO-15 ISO-00 AGR-20 CEA-02 CIAE-00

COME-00 DODE-00 FRB-02 H-03 INR-10 INT-08 L-03 LAB-06

NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-03 RSC-01 AID-20 CIEP-02 SS-15

STR-08 TAR-02 TRSE-00 USIA-15 PRS-01 SPC-03 OMB-01

DRC-01 /173 W

----- 065633

R 101746Z OCT 73

FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7269

INFO USMISSION GENEVA

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE NEW DELHI 11802

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, GATT, IN

SUBJECT: GATT ARTICLE XXVIII RENEGOTIATIONS

REF: STATE 195613

1. L/3874/ADD 1 LISTS TRADE IN BOUND ITEMS SUBJECT TO DUTY INCREASES. EMBASSY NOTES THAT LARGE PART OF US TRADE SHOWN WAS AID-FINANCED AND US COMMERCIAL INTEREST MUCH SMALLER.

2. ALTHOUGH IMPORT LICENSING REMAINS BY FAR THE MOST IMPORTANT BARRIER TO EXPANDED SALES, EMBASSY BELIEVES COMPENSATORY DUTY REDUCTIONS ON SELECTED ITEMS COULD YIELD BENEFITS TO US EXPORTERS. IN OUR OPINION, FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE OF PARTICULAR INTEREST. LIST IS DIVIDED INTO TWO (2) PARTS, FIRST THOSE ITEMS WHERE US IS PRINCIPAL OR SUBSTANTIAL SUPPLIER (DOLS 12.9 MILLION) AND SECOND OTHER ITEMS WHERE US EXPORTERS WOULD BENEFIT FROM TARIFF REDUCTIONS.

RITC (ASTERISK) NO. FIRST LIST TOTAL INDIAN IMPORTS

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 NEW DE 11802 101904Z

IMPORTS FROM US

(\$MILLION)

5121201	ALKYL BENZENES	1.9	1.2
6516101	POLYMADE FILAMENT	1.1	0.7
	YARN UP TO 15 DNRS.		
6743101	ELECTRICAL QUALITY	8.9	3.3
	STEEL SHEETS		
6743102	DEEP DRAWING	1.0	0.4
	QUALITY PLATES/SHEETS		
	OF IRON OR STEEL		
6747009	TINNED PLATES/SHEETS	8.5	3.2
8624203	CINE FILM, UNEX-	3.4	1.0
	POSED, BLACK AND WHITE		
8624204	CIN FILM, UNEX-	5.0	3.1
	POSED, COLORED		

SECOND LIST

5121325	VINYL CHLORIDE	2.6	0.5
6741109	HEAVY PLATE SHEETS	36.9	3.6
	EXCEPT HIGH-CARBON STEEL		
6741201	HEAVY PLATES OF	4.2	4.9
	BOILER QUALITY		
6741209	HEAVY PLATES OF	15.8	2.2
	HIGH CARBON STEEL		
6743112	OTHER QUALITY HOT	4.5	0.9
	ROLLED STEEL PLATES/		
	SHEETS EXCEPT HIGH		
	CARBON ALLOY		
6743309	STAINLESS STEEL		
	SHEETS BELOW	6.9	1.4
	3 MM THICKNESS		
6821201	ELECTROLYTIC COPPER	55.4	14.3
	WIRE/BAR		
7182902	OFFSET ROTARY	3.0	0.1
	PRINTING PRESSES		
7192119	PUMPS FOR LIQUIDS	1.6	0.2
7197304	TAPERED ROLLER	2.1	0.3
	BEARINGS 50 TO 100 MM		
7197107	BALL BEARINGS 50 TO	3.7	0.3
	100 MM BORE		

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 03 NEW DE 11802 101904Z

(ASTERISK) REVISED INDIAN TRADE CLASSIFICATION

3. WASHINGTON AGENCIES MIGHT ALSO WISH TO CONSIDER ASKING
 FOR SOYBEAN OIL DITY ELIMINATION. WHILE WE HAVE LIMITED CURRENT
 TRADE INTEREST IN ITEM, LONGER TERM PROSPECTS ARE GOOD.
 MOYNIHAN

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 10 OCT 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: golinofr
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973NEWDE11802
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: NEW DELHI
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19731041/aaaabdx.tel
Line Count: 114
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION EB
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 3
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: STATE 195613
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: golinofr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 19 DEC 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <19-Dec-2001 by martinml>; APPROVED <11-Jan-2002 by golinofr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: GATT ARTICLE XXVIII RENEGOTIATIONS
TAGS: ETRD, IN, FR, GATT
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005